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Dear Pont'y

The following arrangements are cleared if you want to take advantage of them. We have \$125 for your expenses to Madison. Sonneborn tells me they have at least another \$50 for additional expenses on their account: they might have done better if they had had more notice. The total should suffice. May 10-15 would be acceptable to both camps here.

If this suits you, would you let me and Sonneborn know your intentions at your earliest convenience. I know how ~~stressed~~ distracted you must be but hope you can give me an early word, as we must make sundry arrangements,

We are looking forward to seeing you. I think you'll be amused at the prevalence of automixis (= "somatic" segregation/crossing-over) in *E. coli*, both on diploids and in heterogenotes; we've never had a good chance to talk over the striking analogies in the genetics of *Aspergillus* and of *coli*.

Yours sincerely,


Joshua Lederberg